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Applicant: QEI, Inc. Serial No.: 10/049,141

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Title : SWITCH ACTUATOR

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed April 17, 2002, Applicant as a small entity submits herewith the following:

- Payment of the additional/multiple dependent claims fees of \$99;
- Payment of the surcharge of \$65 for late filing of the basic filing fee and/or declaration.
- A check in the total amount of \$164 is attached.
- A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status;
- A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63;
- A Request for Refund; and
- Other: A Petition for Extension of time with a check in the amount of \$980.

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It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, Order No. 04735-003US1.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
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- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report

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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 30 months months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Additionally the following defects have been observed:

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 Additional claim fees of \$108 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$238 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$108
 - \$108 for 11 total claims over 20.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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